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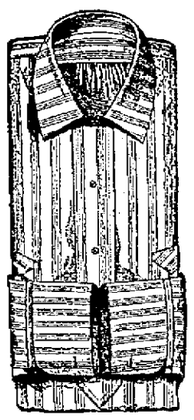

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SHIP CANAL.

Some Suggestions as to Its Construction By River Men.

Some of Them Say it Should Enter at the Head of the Ohio.

The River Would Then Be Navigable the Entire Year if This Plan Were Adopted, Is Their Argument—Others Think it Should Enter at Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 18.—The projected ship canal to connect the great lakes with the Ohio river has been the subject of much comment in this city. A number of surveys have been made, and one of the cities proposed to be benefited is Cincinnati. While no doubt is expressed that the advantages of a ship canal to the Queen City would be very great, there seems to be a difference of opinion among those who have studied the subject as to whether the proposed canal should be built from Cincinnati north through Ohio, or whether it should be constructed from Pittsburgh, or some other point nearer the lake.

Following are views of prominent river men on the subject:

Capt. F. J. Ellison, local manager of the Pittsburgh Packet Co.: "It should be built immediately, as it would fill a long-felt want and do more good for Cincinnati's mercantile interests and traveling public than anything else congress can do. As a natural waterway the Ohio stands foremost and should be looked to by the government as foreign countries do their waterways. To make a successful canal, and one that would be less expensive to the country, would be to either have it enter the Ohio at Pittsburgh or the Allegheny at a point near Kittanning, Pa., as it would benefit all classes. It would stop coal famines, give cheap traveling rates, bring good water to the city, and induce manufacturers to come and erect their plants along the river. Look at the amount of coal that is annually brought from the mines. The Joseph B. Williams and its three and one-half acres of coal floating down the Ohio and Mississippi to southern ports, would be a great boom to the Queen City."

Capt. Eli Mauck, freight agent: "If it is a feeder to the Ohio river and can be proved practicable, I say put some of the thousands of idle men to work and improve our natural waterways. It would do a world of good for the Queen City in every way. Look at the records. Why, the Ohio at Pittsburgh carries more bulk tonnage than any other seaport during navigation, and a great deal more could be brought here with a few improvements, that would insure more water."

Com. Laidley, general manager of the packets from Pomeroy to New Orleans: "Build it so it will put water into the Ohio. I am heartily in favor of it where it will do the most good to the merchants and people."

Capt. Alex Montgomery, president of the Huntington and St. Louis Towboat Co.: "Build it to Cincinnati as soon as possible, but I am not in favor of a seven or ten foot canal. Construct one that will permit a boat drawing twelve or fourteen feet to get through easily. I do not think enough water could be brought from the lakes to increase the stage of the river at this point."

Capt. George Bay, of the Bay Line, Proctorville, O.: "I am very much in favor of a ship canal, but I would like to see it enter the Ohio at a point near Pittsburgh or Beaver, or at a point near Kittanning, Pa. It would make the Ohio valley one of the richest districts in the world."

Capt. Vinton, of the John K. Speed: "If water could be secured so as to put a steady stage in the Ohio by constructing a canal at Pittsburgh, it would give Cincinnati a great deal more southern trade and improve the Ohio valley wonderfully. Then the Queen City would be a distributing point unequaled in this country."

Capt. R. W. Wise, superintendent of the Cincinnati and Memphis Packet Co: "I want to see the canal enter at Cincinnati, unless it could be constructed elsewhere so as to form a feeder for the Ohio."

Capt. Shinkle, secretary of the Pilots' association: "The canal at Pittsburgh would be the proper thing, if it could be used as a feeder for the Ohio river. It would give a great many men employment a number of years in constructing it, besides being the means of employing many men in building more boats. I have been watching with much interest the reports that have been heretofore given on the subject. A great many merchants are of the opinion that more trade could be brought to this city from the north and south by the construction of a canal through Ohio, but the people at St. Louis are not asleep, and they can reach the lakes by a shorter route and have a good stage of water to the gulf, thereby getting foreign trade."

Murder Mystery Cleared.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Aug. 18.—The cornfield murder mystery has been cleared up by the confession made Friday by Ben Reed, after his arrest. He says he and the murdered man, Henderson, walked from Marshall, Ill. They slept in the cornfield. Reed, awakening first, shot and killed Henderson, robbed the body and returned to Marshall. The proceeds of the murder, $6.50, he used to buy clothing and food for his wife at Marshall.

A Wife Slayer Hanged.

PULASKI, Va., Aug. 18.—Wm. G. Taylor was hanged at Newburn at 11 o'clock Friday morning for the murder of his wife. An effort was made to get Gov. O'Ferrall to commute the sentence, the plea of insanity being urged, but the governor refused.

WASHINGTON.

Rumor That Secretary Carlisle Will Resign Not True.

His Son and Adviser Emphatically Denies the Story.

Senator Murphy Proposes to End the Tariff Agitation, and Thus Give the Country a Needed Rest—A Resolution to That Effect Will Probably Be Voted On.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—Rumors that Secretary Carlisle would resign, owing to his opinion on the tariff bill being contrary to those of the president, seem to be based merely upon the imagination of some irresponsible person at the capitol Friday. Secretary Carlisle's son Logan says he can not imagine why such a story should be created. It is denied emphatically. The stories of a bitter reprimand administered to Secretary Carlisle by the president for his letter to Senator Harris can doubtless be set down as baseless as the rumored resignation.

"When will congress adjourn?" Senator Jones, of Arkansas, was asked Friday.

"Congress has adjourned," sententiously answered the democratic leader, whose prominence as one of the senate conferees on the tariff bill gives any opinion of his on the present situation great weight.

"In saying that congress has adjourned," explained Mr. Jones, "I mean that it looks as if no more business will be transacted at this session. We will probably Saturday fill the vacancy on the finance committee occasioned by the death of Senator Vance, and then consider the free sugar, coal, iron and wire bills and amendments. While we are doing this, however, I would not be surprised if the senate acted upon the resolution offered by Senator Murphy Friday declaring no further tariff legislation necessary at this session.

"Senator Murphy believes that he will get votes enough to pass his resolution," continued Mr. Jones, "as he bases it entirely on the statement of Secretary Carlisle, that a deficiency will be created if only the free sugar bill should become a law. If Senator Murphy's resolution is adopted that will be the end of tariff legislation for the present."

Ohio Populists State Ticket.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 18.—(Convention Tent, People's Party Convention.)—The early rising populists were in their convention tent at 8 o'clock Friday, and in a few minutes President John Seitz called the assembly to order.

Chas. R. Martin, of Tiffin, and Chas. Jenkins, of Mahoning county, were placed in nomination for secretary of state. A ballot was taken, resulting in 497 for Martin and 317 for Jenkins. Martin was declared the nominee for secretary of state.

E. D. Stark, of Cuyahoga, was nominated for supreme judge, and there being no other nominations presented, he was nominated by acclamation.

The balance of the ticket was nominated as follows: For member public works, Joel A. Stewart, of Preble. For school commissioner, M. J. Flannery, of Greene.

Riots in Belfast.

BELFAST, Aug. 18.—The celebration of the Feast of the Assumption has been made the occasion for a series of riotous demonstrations in this city. The damage done to property up to Thursday was no more serious than the breaking of a few windows in various houses. Thursday the trouble began in earnest and culminated in a serious riot. The disturbances were begun by a mob of Nationalists, who first attacked and beat a party of Protestants, and then vented their wrath upon Protestant property.

Dead for Centuries.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 18.—In making an excavation in a mound on the farm of J. H. Amos, near Greenlawn cemetery, workmen have unearthed twenty-three skeletons of human beings, which were evidently of an inferior people of small stature and low foreheads. A large number of transparent flint spear and arrow heads were also found.

Died of a Cat Bite.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Michael Smith, 80 years old, of Ten Mile Run, near New Brunswick, N. J., died Thursday. He was bitten by a cat two years ago. The physician who attended him says that the poison then injected began to act only a few days ago, and that death was undoubtedly due to the cat bite.

A Patriotic Suicide.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 18.—With a starred and striped handkerchief Elias Chambers, of Cameron, Marshall county, W. Va., hanged himself in a box car of the Cleveland and Pittsburgh railroad in Lower Allegheny Friday.

The Case of Judge Ricks.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—The special house committee to investigate the charges against Judge Ricks, of Cleveland, will not begin its work until congress adjourns, and perhaps not until fall.

A Pathetic Tragedy.

BRISTOL, Tenn., Aug. 18.—Mrs. M. M. White, aged 75, of Plattsburg, Miss., was killed by a train here Friday. She was traveling to Washington afoot to look after a land claim and a pension.

Scarcely a Quorum.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—There is hardly a quorum of the house of representatives left in town, as members are anxious to get away and are leaving on every train.

Cholera at Riga.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 18.—Cholera has broken out at Riga. Ten cases of sickness from that disease are reported from the authorities at Riga.

He Can Not Live.

MT. GILEAD, O., Aug. 18.—Thomas Green, aged 60, attempted suicide by cutting his throat, temples and arms with a pocket knife. He can not live.

NARROW ESCAPE

Of Premier Dupuy, of France—Plot Discovered to Take His Life.

PARIS, Aug. 18.—Le Journal says that the police have frustrated an anarchist plot to assassinate Premier Dupuy. The premier is in Vernel Les Bains, not far from the Spanish border. He is accompanied by three Paris detectives, as rumors of a plot against his life have been numerous recently. These detectives are supposed to have discovered the plot through the presence of militant anarchists in the neighborhood of Vernel. The anarchists, says the Journal, were warned of their danger the night before the police expected to arrest them and fled to Spain.

Further details of the plot against Premier Dupuy's life have been ascertained, and they confirm, in most respects, the information published by Le Journal.

The main plot was hatched in Barcelona by Spanish and fugitive French anarchists.

The Strike Investigation.

CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—There was a dearth of witnesses at the third session of the National Labor commission Friday morning. In vain the clerk called out a half dozen names or more of persons who had promised to be present. Not one responded. The attendance was larger than at any previous morning session. Telegrams have been sent to Grand Chief Arthur, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers; Grand Chief Sargent, of the firemen, and President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, to appear before the commission and testify. None of the railway managers have yet been asked to appear.

Judge Porter an Outsider.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—The senate committee on the judiciary has made an adverse report to the senate on the nomination of Hon. James D. Porter to be United States judge of the Eastern and Middle districts of Tennessee. It is understood that the opposition is based on the ground that Mr. Porter, while a resident of the state, lives outside the district over which he was appointed to preside.

Would-Be Lynchers in Jail.

BRISTOL, Tenn., Aug. 18.—A number of moonshiners in Russell county, Va., attempted to lynch C. E. Clapp, a deputy United States marshal, but were thwarted in their purpose. Clapp, it is said, had been one of them, but turned against them several months ago, and had been appointed marshal. Most of the men concerned in the attempt to lynch Clapp are in jail.

Pogum Number Five.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—The ways and means committee voted Friday to present a fifth special tariff bill making silver-lead ore free of duty. The Wilson bill made these ores free, but the senate bill put a duty of ⅞ of a cent a pound on them. At the meeting Friday the democrats voted for the free silver-lead ore bill and the republicans against it.

No Atmosphere on Mars.

SAN JOSE, Cal, Aug. 18.—Prof. Campbello, of Lick observatory, has demonstrated with the spectroscope that the planet Mars presents no evidence of having an atmosphere. Prof. Holden says that if any atmospheric pressure exists it is not as great as our highest mountains, and thus popular fancies concerning that planet are outgrown.

A Flood of Canadian Wool.

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 18.—A firm of wool dealers in this city have over a million pounds of wool stored in their warehouses here, nearly all of which will be shipped to the United States when the new tariff becomes a law. The Canadian wool clip, as well as the clip of last year, is nearly all in the country warehouses.

Rebellion in Samoa.

AUCKLAND, N. Z., Aug. 18.—Advices received here dated Samoa, August 10, say that several thousand armed natives continue in their encampment within rifle shot of the government forces. No serious engagement has taken place, however, and only an occasional straggler has been killed.

A Savings Bank Suspends.

LUDINGTON, Mich., Aug. 18.—The Commercial and Savings bank, of this city, suspended business Friday by order of its president, Antoine E. Cartier. The bank has been in a precarious condition for some time. The officers will say nothing about its condition as yet.

Strikers Barred Out.

TOPEKA, Kas., Aug. 18.—There is a uniform movement by the strikers of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe for their old places, but thus far they have met with no success. General Manager Frey remains firm in his original position not to take any of them back.

Waitresses Strike.

LARAMIE, Wyo., Aug. 18.—The dining-room girls in the Union Pacific hotel here have struck on account of Manager Markels' order requiring them to wear uniforms. Girls were brought from Kansas City to fill their places.

A Prince Arrested.

LONDON, Aug. 18.—A dispatch from Paris says that Prince Emanuel of Orleans was arrested in Bordeaux Friday while on his way to visit the emperor of Austria.

Want to Fight Peru.

QUITO, Ecuador, Aug. 18.—The Ecuadorian senate has rejected the treaty of delimitation of Peru. The population is excited and is favorable to war with Peru.

Drought Broken.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Aug. 18.—A heavy thunderstorm visited Burlington Friday, with a steady downpour of rain for hours.

Famine in Corea.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 18.—It is reported that the condition of the Coreans by reason of the famine is most pitiable.

M. Frustuk, French consul to Cindad, Bolivia, was drowned in the Orinoco August 12.

Fire destroyed the big Montreal steam laundry. Loss, $100,000.

BLACKLISTED.

Testimony in the Pullman Strike Investigation.

Prof. Bemis, of the Chicago University, Gives His Ideas.

He Believes in Giving Employer and Employe Fair Play—Also Favors the Licensing of Competent Men—Rev. Cardwardine an Interesting Witness.

CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—The principal feature of Friday's session of the National Labor commission was the testimony of W. L. Bemis, associate professor of social economy at the University of Chicago. Rev. William H. Cardwardine, who is a minister at Pullman, gave the result of his close investigation of the troubles in his town. Two directors of the A. R. U. were also put on the stand, besides a number of ex-employes of various railroads.

A great deal of testimony was offered tending to show the existence of a "blacklist," debarring men named in it, from working on any railroad. The plan advocated by Prof. Bemis—that all troubles be settled by a state board of arbitration and that railroad employes be licensed—seemed to meet with general favor.

Leroy M. Goodwin, a director of the A. R. U., was the first to testify. Mr. Goodwin thought in a "co-operative commonwealth" lay the solution of all the troubles of labor. He meant by this, he said, a government by the people only. He claimed that the government as now conducted was one of corporations only.

He was succeeded by Prof. Bemis. As a deep student of the labor question Prof. Bemis was listened to with the closest attention. He did not believe in compulsory arbitration. He cited the Massachusetts law, which provides for a state court of three men which shall arbitrate labor differences. One of these shall be from the ranks of organized labor, one from the employers, and the third to be chosen by these two.

Prof. Bemis stated that this board had been very successful in settling labor difficulties. The only times when it had failed were in cases where one side or the other had refused to arbitrate. In this event the board had the right to make an inquiry, publish the result broadcast and lay the blame where it belonged. The board does not have the right, as Prof. Bemis thought it should have, of inquiring into the employer's profits.

"I think such a board would have the right to examine witnesses," said Prof. Bemis, "and to make a separate report on each case, publishing fully who is in the wrong. I believe that either employer or employe would dislike being held up to the public as in the wrong. This is about as far as we can go now, I think. As to the railroads, I believe it is necessary to keep them running, as they are public institutions. At the same time it will be necessary to give both sides fair play. I think the time is coming when the experiment of government ownership will be tried. But in view of the fact that this time is not likely to be in the near future, I suppose the commission wants to know a plan which will be more quickly available.

"I favor Mr. Day's suggestion, made Thursday, that competent men be licensed. If they violated an agreement their license could be forfeited. Employers could be reached by being forced by the laws to forfeit their charters if they broke the agreement. All matters of difference I would have, of course, first submitted to this state board of arbitration, which should decide which party was in the wrong, or which should bear the penalty."

Rev. Wm. H. Cardwardine was examined at great length. Mr. Cardwardine said the cause of the strike was the unequal cutting of wages and dissatisfaction with the local management. He said further:

"There was a feeling on the part of the men that they could get no redress. Neither Mr. Pullman nor Mr. Wickes was as much to blame for the strike as the local management. However, I am free to make this statement: There never would have been a strike at Pullman if George M. Pullman had been in closer touch with his employes and there never would have been a strike there if rents had been reduced in proportion to the cut in wages. I also believe that in a community which was run on the system of paternalism, as this one was, the company should have shared the brunt of the hard times with its employes and not have cut wages so much."

Mr. Cardwardine stated that he asked Mr. Debs to declare the boycott off, and the latter did so, but the railroad managers refused to accept his proposition.

"I don't believe," said Mr. Cardwardine, in concluding his testimony, "that it was the disposition of the company to give the men a fair show."

Mr. Cardwardine favored courts of arbitration and government ownership of railroads. He testified that rents were fifteen per cent. lower in Roseland, a neighboring suburb, than in Pullman, and the water rents of Pullman are exhorbitant. Nobody was allowed to acquire property at Pullman, not even churches. The rent of the parsonage was so high that no minister had ever got enough salary to occupy it.

Mr. Cardwardine said he knew that sixty families were soon to be evicted from the Pullman houses for not paying their rent. His book, which contains a detailed story of the troubles at Pullman, was filed as part of his evidence.

Tim Denny's Revenge.

BRISTOL, Tenn., Aug. 18.—David Hall, of Jonesville, Va., 75 miles north of here, was met in the road by Tim Denny, an 18-year-old boy, who shot and killed him. Hall had indicted Denny for abusing his child, and Denny took his revenge in the manner stated.

EXTENSIVE SWINDLE.

A New York Firm That "Failed," Owing Cincinnati Houses.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Creditors of Kraus Bros., who kept a sales stable on East Fifty-ninth street and two in Brooklyn, are very much exercised over the failure, which was reported on August 10. A large number of claims have been placed in the hands of Snow, Church & Co. for collection, and Col. T. C. Campbell, of that firm, has issued replevins to the sheriff aggregating $6,574.

Of these replevins four are in the name of Stephen G. Patterson, for the Haydock Carriage Co., of Cincinnati, and others for Graf, Morsbach & Co., Cincinnati, and the United States Carriage Co., of Columbus, O.

Mr. Patterson said Friday that Kraus Bros. bought carriages in many other cities, and did not pay a cent on the purchases from his clients; that Bloomingdale Bros., who held a chattel mortgage for $11,573 on the horses and carriages in this city and in one of the Brooklyn stables, foreclosed it on August 8, and bought in everything at the sale. The replevin creditors have had the sheriff take charge of some of this property.

Bank Examiner Takes His Life.

ALTOONA, Pa., Aug. 18.—Bank Examiner Miller, at 1:05 Friday afternoon, shot himself through the temple, causing instant death, in the Second national bank of this city. He had been engaged investigating the books of the bank, and it has been reported that he completed his work and sent his report to Washington. President John P. Levan, of the bank, was with him at the time, and is prostrated over the occurrence. The opinion as given out is that he was not competent to fill the position, and worry over the bank's affairs caused the suicide.

Large Cargo for Japan and China.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—The steamer City of Pekin, which left this port Friday for China and Japan, carried in its hold for China 16,938 barrels of flour, 4,497 pounds of ginseng, 65 cases of canned fruit, 178 cases of canned meat, 11,250 pounds of pearl barley, 74 packages of provisions and 99 packages of groceries; for Japan, 1,412 barrels of flour, 53,165 pounds of compressed cotton, 500 barrels of corned beef, and 474 cases of canned meats. Among the passengers were two Japanese going home to become petty officers.

Games Played Friday.

*New York	7	*Philadelphia	20
St. Louis	6	Louisville	4
*Washington	8		
Cleveland	0		

*Where game was played.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Played.	Pr Ct.
Boston	62	33	95	.653
Baltimore	60	33	93	.645
New York	59	37	96	.615
Cleveland	53	40	93	.569
Philadelphia	49	42	91	.538
Pittsburgh	50	46	96	.521
Brooklyn	49	46	95	.516
Chicago	45	51	96	.467
Cincinnati	42	52	94	.447
St. Louis	40	58	98	.408
Louisville	32	61	93	.353
Washington	29	68	97	.299

Found Four Bombs.

BERLIN, Aug. 18.—Inquiries made in regard to the report published by the Lokal Anzeiger, that infernal machines were discovered at the residences of many anarchists recently arrested in this city, show that there is at least some foundation for the story. The police admit that they have found four bombs in the lodgings of anarchists who were recently taken into custody here.

Japs Want to Fight.

YOKOHAMA, Aug. 18.—It is officially stated that the Japanese fleet, which consists of seventeen vessels, is hunting for the Chinese fleet, with the purpose of engaging it in battle. The Japanese troops in Corea have been ordered to occupy all the passes on the China-Corean frontier, and prevent at all hazards the entry into Corea of Chinese reinforcements.

Deaths From Cholera.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 18.—Three fresh cases of cholera and one death from the disease have been reported here. At Rotterdam, one fresh case of cholera is announced and one case is reported from Purmerend. At Maestriet there has been one death from cholera and one death from the same disease is reported from Wormerveer.

Held Up a Train.

SAGINAW, Mich., Aug. 18.—Word is received that the Grand Trunk passenger train on the Cincinnati, Saginaw and Mackinaw road, due here at 8 o'clock Friday evening, was held up near Burt Station, fourteen miles south, and a telegram was sent for help. Deputies have been dispatched on a special train.

Official Vote in Tennessee.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 18.—Full official returns of the election for supreme judges have been received by the secretary of state from every county. Democrats 145,153, fusionists 131,289; democratic majority, 13,869, a gain of 25,035 over the aggregate opposition vote for governor in 1892.

Mississippi's First Cotton.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 18.—The first bale of cotton of this year's crop was received here Friday from West Point, Miss., and sold at auction in front of the cotton exchange. It classed strict low middling, and brought ten cents per pound.

French Silk Market Active.

LYONS, Aug. 18.—The silk market is tremendously active in view of the passage of the U. S. tariff bill. Big orders have been placed at Yokohoma for raw silk to be worked up for the United States.

Walked Across the Continent.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 18.—Henry Thompson, long-distance walker, arrived here Friday from San Francisco, having made the trip in 321 days. He leaves here Monday to complete the journey to New York.

A Sexton Commits Suicide.

HENDERSON, Ky., Aug. 18.—John Callender, cemetery sexton, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head Friday morning. Cause unknown.

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A Suggestion to the Portsmouth Street Railway Company.

The ninth month of the operation of the Portsmouth street railway closed with Thursday's business. No one interested in the project directly, or the interest of the city indirectly, can but feel highly gratified at the success of the enterprise as evidenced in the subjoining report:

RECEIPTS.

	Passengers carried.	Earnings.
November (14 days)	19,098	$ 859 12
December	35,637	1,495 65
January	34,742	1,408 56
February	37,261	1,533 38
March	41,183	1,690 33
April	43,359	1,799 97
May	51,896	2,146 16
June	63,424	2,599 01
July	77,524	3,179 46
August (16 days)	40,308	1,851 12
	450,432	$18,565 63

EXPENSES.

November (14 days)	$321 44	
December	711 76	
January	738 22	
February	695 80	
March	770 35	
April	745 50	
May	824 20	
June	853 20	
July	881 61	
August (16 days)	455 01	6,997 15

Net for nine months......$11,568 48
Daily net profits, $39.48.
Per year, at same proportion, $14,411.25.

In addition to the above there is an income from furnishing power for motors, fans, etc., which we are informed will net $2,000 per year; the lighting of the city; sale of advertising space in the cars, etc.

Its remarkable financial success has in a measure compensated the projectors for the risk involved and the obstructions encountered in the prosecution of the work. The excellence of the service of the road and its superior equipment have commended it to the public as a convenience and advantage to the city. That the very best service can be given with profit to the operators has been demonstrated. It is no longer an experiment, but an established and assured institution, standing well in public favor.

The men who compose the company are among the city's most enterprising and public spirited citizens. Their names, their money and their enthusiastic work contributed largely toward giving us the handsome Elk building, they are inseparately identified with the success of the County Agricultural society, and it is these men who will give the city a creditable opera house. No further evidence of their interest in Portsmouth and their public spirit need be quoted.

But this is foreign to the question in hand. The TIMES has a suggestion to make concerning the street railroad. Readers of the daily papers are familiar with the ups and downs of the company in the way of litigation. They have had a hard road to travel, and at times it seemed as though the concern would pass into the hands of foreign capitalists who would naturally have less interest in Portsmouth affairs generally. The profits of the road would then not remain in Portsmouth nor be invested in Portsmouth institutions. But this has so far been averted.

There can be no question as to the financial success of the road. A return of about 13 per cent. on a capital stock of $125,000 above all expenses, is certainly a good return for the investment. There is idle money in Portsmouth which would jump at such employment. Why not offer stock in the company to local capital?

There are at present but five stockholders and of this number two own the great bulk of the stock. If some stock could be placed on the market in small blocks there are doubtless many who would like to invest. Every stockholder would be of course personally interested, and the co-operation of a large number of citizens would thus be secured. This would insure the stability of the company and its prosperity as a LOCAL enterprise or institution. It would supply ready cash to meet outstanding obligations and furnish profitable investment to idle money.

THE TIMES would like to hear from the gentlemen owning the stock of the company as to the feasibility of this plan and their willingness to dispose of stock in this manner.

HIGH tariff is practically dead in this country. McKinley won't be scarcely considered as a candidate in 1896.

THE Portsmouth Fire Brick company is shipping five and six car loads of brick daily now. Business in Portsmouth is improving right along. We hear it on all sides, and in sixty days it will be booming.

WHAT will the editor of the Blade say to Bro. Huber? It seems to have disciplined the Press and Tribune, now let him turn his attention to the editor of the Correspondent, and then he can carry the "baton" at the head of the Republican column.

NOTHING shows better how deeply the name of Abraham Lincoln is engraved in the hearts of his countrymen as the best type of the new world race of freemen than the fact that nowadays, when a man dies who was happy enough to be a friend of the great martyr, that fact alone sufficies to spread his obituary notice, through the newspapers over the whole land.

THE Republican papers have begun a tirade of abuse against the Populist and labor organizations because they presume to run a state ticket. Were these tyrants to control the prohibitionists, the populists and the labor unions would be exported. This is a free country and every man has the right regardless of his party to peacebly express his political opinions. They hope by their tirade of abuse to intimidate the laboring people, and drive them back into the Republican party.

SURGERY's discovery of a way to obliterate facial blemishes has given the detective forces a great deal of difficulty in locating well-known criminals. By these operations the whole character of the facial expression is sometimes changed by a few deft jabs of a lancet. The wounds heal in a very short time, and in most cases can never be noticed. The criminal fratornity are not slow to take hold of this knowledge, and in consequence the descriptions in the possession of the detectives cannot always be depended upon.

REPUBLICAN senators are doing every thing possible to prevent the Democrats from making sugar free or taking the differental from the sugar trust. The Democrats of the finance committee are favoring the report on the free sugar bill at once, but not a single Republican will vote for it. The death of Senator Vance makes the committee a tie. If the sugar trust robs the people, the Republican "boodles" will be to blame for it. McKinley was the forerunner of trustism and being fastened on the people the Republican "boodle" senators have aided in keeping it thus.

THERE are more working days in the year of the American workman than of any other, save the Hungarian. The latter works three hundred and twelve days in the year, and thus has almost no holiday, save Sunday. The number of working days in the American year is three hundred and eight. This is the same as the Dutch; it is thirty days more than the English, forty-one days more than the Russian, and from six to eighteen days more than the working year of any other European country. It is noteworthy that even newly-arrived immigrants keep American holidays.

GEN. JOHN TYLER, son of the tenth president of the United States and his private secretary, is living in humble circumstances, a sufferer from paralysis, in Washington. He is supported by a nephew who has a position in the treasury department. Gen. Tyler entered the confederate service at the outbreak of the war, acting as adjutant general on the staff of Gen. Sterling Price. After the war Gen. Grant appointed Tyler collector of customs at Tallahassee, and President Garfield made him a commissioner in the treasury department. He was incapacitated for duty by a stroke of paralysis in 1887. Gen. Tyler is seventy-five years of age.

ACCORDING to a Chicago paper, the assassination of President Carnot of France, seems to have been the first of a long list of murders that were planned in that city last fall. That Cœsario Giovanni Santo, the assassin, was in Chicago as a delegate from Italy to a conference of anarchist leaders of the world, is positively known, and that immediately upon his return to Europe he began plotting the death of Carnot has also been clearly established by the Parisian police. Last October a meeting of anarchists was held in the offices of Honore Jaxon, a renegade half-breed, who posed as one of the arch conspirators in the fake plot to blow up the government buildings at Washington recently.

Photography Extraordinary.

A Pittsburgh physician, who is also an amateur photographer, bought a box of snakes and photographed them in different positions. As a climax, it was decided to illustrate how the biggest snake (over five feet long) was captured. It was placed on the top of a huge mass of rock, and the doctor posed as if he had just caught sight of the reptile, and was motioning to Pete, the snake-catcher, who was climbing up the face of the rock. In his anxiety to get a good pose, the doctor failed to notice that while he was getting in position the snake had worked its way to the edge of the rock. When Pete put his hand over the edge to steady himself the snake struck savagely at the moving fingers. Its teeth grazed the ball of the thumb, cut the skin, but did not draw blood, and a quantity of venom spread itself over the thumb, but was washed off with the contents of a bottle of ammonia, and did not do any damage. The photographer was so startled by the snake's striking that he convulsively squeezed the bulb connected with the shutter of his camera, and secured what is probably the most unique photograph in the state.

FOR THE GARDEN PARTY.

FOR SUNDAY READING.

COME UP HITHER!

(Rev. 4:1.)

I have heard a voice that calleth
Down from Heaven's open door;
Like a cooling dew it falleth
On my spirit wearied sore;
Falleth from the far blue ether,
From the heights by angels trod;
"Come up hither! Hither! Hither!
Child of Heaven and of God.

"What is this thy sad heart deemeth
Almost more than it can bear?
Come and see how shall it seemeth
In this cloudless upper air!
See it as the angels see it,
Who have looked upon the King;
Lift thy thought to theirs, and free it
From all earthly fettering.

"Come up hither! Hither! Hither!
Rise above thy little life!
Dreams that vanish, hopes that wither,
Thankless service, wearying strife,
Praise, and blame, and tears, and laughter,
Soon 'twill all be nought to thee;
I will show thee God's hereafter.
Come up hither! Come and see."
—Miss E. C. Cherry, in N. Y. Observer.

A LOST PEOPLE.

The Relics of a Lost Race Discovered on the Coast of Brittany.

A lady whose home is in the south of France writes of a visit she made recently to an island on the coast of Brittany. Those of you who have read the story of King Arthur and his knights will remember that they started out over the sea in pursuit of the dragon.

In this—the Morbihan sea—is a little island which can be reached from the mainland only when the water is smooth. The sole inhabitant is a Breton shepherd, who lives in a little hut and spends his time in caring for his sheep. The party landed and were met by the kind-faced old man, who led them over the grassy slope where his flock was feeding, and showed them the way around a hill, on the east side of which they found the entrance to a tunnel.

This extended some distance, and its floor, sides and roof were made of immense flat pieces of stone, covered with hieroglyphs and figures, "looking somewhat like wreaths and again like coiled serpents." At the end of this unnel was a hall, also floored, roofed and walled with the same curious stones, and in the center was an altar and a stone upon which, it is thought, that human sacrifices have been offered.

The strangest part of all is that no stones nor rocks like those used in this tunnel can be found on the island, and at no place nearer than a hundred miles inland. Who brought them? How did they come? There is no record left—at least none has been found, to tell who these people were, or anything about them.

They must have lived many centuries ago, but have vanished entirely, yet their work is as perfect apparently as when first built.

It is thought that they may have been Druids, who came here when they left Great Britain; others, again, think that they were worshippers of the serpent god called Hoa. But it is conjecture. All we know is that the stones are here, strangely carved, skillfully put together, but of their builders their is no trace.

Finding New Rocks in the Sea.

It appears from the annual report of the hydrographer of the British navy that two hundred rocks and other dangerous objects to navigation were discovered during last year—twenty-six by surveying vessels, thirty-five by other ships belonging to the navy, twenty-two by British and foreign vessels, one hundred and five were reported by colonial and foreign governments and thirteen were discovered by vessels striking on them. The resurveys of Spithead, Pembroke and Plymouth sound have been going on, and serious obstacles were discovered at the Welsh port, while at Plymouth it turned out that the depth in the main anchorage was very much less than is shown on the chart, so that the largest ships would be certain to touch bottom in some places if the water sank to its lowest level. Dredging has therefore been undertaken.

She Pleased the Queen.

It is said that Miss Majendie, who has just received the much-coveted position of maid of honor to Queen Victoria, owes her good luck to a mere freak of magnetic attraction. The queen saw her for the first time when she came to sing at the little [illegible] service arranged by Princess Beatrice at the Villa Fabbricotti and was particularly struck by her pleasant face and [illegible] voice. It was with the [illegible]

ELECTROLIER is a word that has found a place in the business world, and even in some dictionaries, though the great public, with the characteristic conservatism that held on to "chandelier" after oil and gas had displaced candles, still refuses to adopt the new word. As to the thing itself, it is a puzzle to decorators, since there is a genuine difficulty in producing just the right form so long as people skeptically demand a double instrument that can furnish gas when the electric current fails to run.

PRETTY RIBBON BAG.

Something New in the Way of a Snuggery for Fan or Lorgnette.

It is called a ribbon bag, because it is fashioned altogether of the gay fripperies. Whatever the color scheme selected it must be carried out in lustrous lengths of satin, or moire, or fancy ribbon.

In making this cunning conceit, you first decide upon its length and cut the ribbon accordingly. A good-sized fan may be your guide, and the ribbon is cut a trifle longer to allow for draw-strings and gathers.

Any width may be used, but the most graceful bag is formed from ribbon three inches and a half wide, and not quite half a yard long.

Two lengths of ribbon are required, one for the front and the other for the back of the bag. They are placed together and two of the edges sewed up on the wrong side; then the joined pieces are laid out flat and on the wrong side, a very delicate pad of batting spread upon them, finally overlaid with a lining of tinted silk. If desired, a powdering of jasmine, or some other subtle sachet, may be placed upon the batting before the silk is put in position.

When batting and silk are arranged, fold over the whole thing and stitch up on the wrong side the two unsewed edges of the bag. After the bottom has been secured, turn the bag over to the right side. A draw-string run with narrow ribbons is given the top, so that quite a ruffled edge stands up, revealing glimpses of the silk lining.

Now the decorations for the bag, like its foundation, consist of ribbon. This is about an inch wide. It is arranged in bias lines across the front of

RIBBON BAG.

the bag, and, wherever it is carried to the edge, it is punctuated by a bow of five loops. The effect is exceedingly pretty, and is enhanced by a series of tiny bows across the lower edge of the bag.

The fragrant snuggery for fan or lorgnette appears well in a combination of colors. For instance, peach-pink and china-blue create a Frenchy trifle; while blue and white, pumpkin and green, pink and silver, and scarlet and black all show up well.—Golden Days.

FAMILY SCRAP BAG.

IN tagging trunks write in full their destination as well as your name.

IT is said that those who eat too much meat are apt to have ringing in the ears.

DISH drainers made of wire are coming into use. They prevent much breakage and nicking of dishes.

TO cool rooms properly, open the windows at top and bottom. This gives the heated air along the ceiling a chance to escape and create a draft.

TRY an application of ripe tomatoes to the ink stain and iron rust on white clothes. Never apply it to colored clothes, however, for tomatoes will extract all the color as well.

SAUCE tartare is made by adding three olives, one gherkin, a teaspoonful of capers, all chopped finely, and a teaspoonful of tarragon vinegar to a half pint of good mayonnaise.

IN making griddle cakes each quart of milk or water will take a heaping pint of flour or meal to make batter just right. If it becomes too thick by standing over long it may be thinned a little.

A HANDSOME library has fine Japanese matting irregularly used to panel the walls. The panels are framed by flat moldings, some of them being decorated, and in others plain spaces forming the frames of enclosed pictures.

BORAX is a convenient thing to have on the kitchen shelf. Added to the water in which dish towels are washed it will help to keep them of good color. Moreover, by softening the water, it tends to keep the hands smooth and white.

A Remarkable Shot.

A peculiar incident happened while the Sixth regiment of New York were engaged in rifle practice at the New Jersey state camp at Sea Girt. Lieut. R. R. Albertson was trying to qualify on the three-hundred-yard range. On his fifth shot three blackbirds flew across the range. The lieutenant's rifle cracked and one of the birds fell. At the same moment the signal target indicated that the lieutenant had scored four points, only one point from the center. An examination of the dead bird showed that the bullet in its flight for the target had passed through its breast.

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

Hog cholera is epidemic at Welch, W. Va.

John McBride is to stump the state of Ohio in the interest of the populist party.

The railroad companies in West Virginia are picking up in business at a good rate lately.

A death from cholera was reported Friday to the authorities in Chelsea, the southwest suburb of London.

Edward Yinger, the 10-year-old son of a prominent citizen of Portsmouth, O., was drowned in the Ohio river, Friday afternoon.

Two boys, only 19 years old, Henry Fink and Russell Barnes, were arrested for trying to rob James Criswell, a rich farmer, near Wooster, O.

Many tin plate works in South Wales, which have been closed for some time, are preparing to resume work in view of the passage of the tariff bill in Washington.

An immense meteor burst immediately over Coffeeville, Miss., Thursday night with a report that shook the earth for miles around and frightened the people almost out of their wits.

At Terre Haute, Ind., the world's record went by the board again Friday. Alix, the phenomenal trotter, carrying off the honors by beating the world's race record in either a pace or a trot by winning in the great time of 2:06, 2:06¼ and 2:05¼.

The most unique figure in Georgia politics passed out Friday when Col. Bill Harris, of "the grand old county of Worth," died. For forty years Wm. A. Harris has been connected with Georgia politics, first as senator, and for twenty-five years as secretary of that body.

The Cunarder Campania landed at New York Friday night a record breaker over her younger sister Lucania and every other ship that ever made record time in either direction between this port and Queenstown. She clipped 3 hours and 18 minutes off the record for the trip westward made by the Lucania in May of this year.

An effort is being made in 'Frisco by a man who is said to represent the Japanese government to secure the services of 1,000 men to go to the domain of the mikado and help the Japanese in their struggle with the Chinese. The sum of $25 per month, besides transportation to an from Japan and necessary rations, are promised those who will enlist.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 17.

FLOUR—Spring patent, $3.35@3.75; do fancy at $2.05@3.00; do family at $2.25@2.50. Winter patent quotable at $2.55@2.90; fancy at $2.25@2.40; and family at $2.00@2.10; extra at $1.85@1.95; low grades at $1.70@1.80.

WHEAT—Market quiet under a light demand. Sales of sample red, landing, at 48c.

CORN—Sales of yellow ear, track, at 54½c; white ear, track, at 54½c; No. 2 mixed ear, track, at 57c.

OATS—The market is steady and the following sales were reported: Mixed (hot), track, at 30c; No. 2 mixed, track, at 30c.

RYE—Sale of No. 2 track, 46c.

CATTLE—Heavy steers, $3.75@4.25; select butchers', $3.50@3.75; fair to medium, $3.00@3.25; common to ordinary, $2.00@3.00. Cows—Good to choice, $2.50@3.00; fair to medium, $2.00@2.50; common to fair rough, 75c@$1.25; yearling and grazing calves, $1.50@2.50.

CALVES—Common and large, $1.50@2.50; fair to good, $3.75@4.00; extra fine, $1.75@5.50.

HOGS—Select butchers', $5.50@5.60; packers, $5.30@5.50; common and rough, $4.00@5.00; light shippers, $5.25@5.50; common to fair pigs, $4.25@4.75.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep: Top yearlings and wethers, $3.00@3.35; good to choice ewes $2.40@2.90; common, 75c@$1.00. Lambs: Shippers' extra, $4.50@4.60; good to choice, $3.75@4.25; butchers' extra, $2.25@2.75; common to good, $2.00@2.50; culls, $1.50@2.00.

WOOL—Unwashed: Fine merino, per lb, 8@10c; quarter blood clothing, 12@13c; medium delaine and clothing, 13@14c; coarse, 11c; medium combing, 13@14c. Washed: Fine merino, X to XX, per lb, 10@12c; medium clothing, 15@16c; delaine fleece, 15@16c; long combing, 15@16c; quarter blood and low, 15@16c; common coarse, 10@17c; tub-washed, choice, 19@20c; tub-washed, average, 18c.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 17.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, 55⅜@55⅝c; September, 55⅜@55½c; December, 59@59¼c.

CORN—Spot, 58c asked.

OATS—No. 2 white western, 37c; No. 2 mixed, 34½@35c.

RYE—No. 2, 46½c.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.

RYE—Western, 47@57c.

WHEAT—No. 2 red store and elevator, 57c; afloat, 57½c; f. o. b., 57⅝@58¾c; ungraded red, 53@58c; No. 1 Northern, 64⅞@65c.

CORN—No. 2, 61¼c elevator, 61¾c afloat.

OATS—No. 2, 34½c; No. 2 white, 37¼@38¼c; No. 2 Chicago, 35@35½c; No. 3, 33c; No. 3 white, 37@37½c; mixed western, 37@37½c; white do, 35½c; white state, 36½@44c.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 17.

WHEAT—No. 2 red cash, 53¼c; September, 53⅝c; December, 56½c; May, 62½c; No. 3 red cash, 53½c.

CORN—Nothing doing.

OATS—No. 2 mixed, cash, 30c; No. 2 white cash, 33½c.

RYE—Market firm; No. 2 cash, 47c.

CLOVER-SEED—September, $5.75; October, $5.77½; November, $5.80; February, $5.95.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 17.

CATTLE—Prime, $4.40@4.60; good, $3.90@4.10; good butchers, $3.50@3.65; rough fat, $2.65@3.15; fair light steers, $2.40@3.15; good fat cows and heifers, $2.40@3.10.

HOGS—Philadelphias, $5.70@5.75; best Yorkers, $5.40@5.65; common to fair Yorkers, $5.40@5.50; pigs, $5.40@5.50; good sows, $5.00@5.25; stags and rough sows, $4.25@4.75.

SHEEP—Extra, $3.10@3.30; good, $2.40@2.80; fair, $1.80@2.20; common, 50c@$1.00; yearlings, $2.25@3.25; lambs, $2.00@3.60.

CALVES—Veal calves, $5.00@5.50; heavy and thin calves, $2.50@4.00.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 17.

CATTLE—Light steers, $3.45@3.50; no very good on sale.

HOGS—Good to choice mediums, mixed and packing grades, $5.75@5.80; good to choice heavy, $5.85@5.90; good to choice Yorkers, $5.65@5.75; Michigans and grassers, $5.50@5.60; fair to good grassy heavy, $5.50@5.60; pigs, $5.60@5.70; roughs, $4.50@5.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Good to choice ewes, $3.00@3.50; wethers, $3.50@3.75; mixed sheep, $2.25@2.75; fair to good lambs, $3.75@4.25.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.

CASH QUOTATIONS—Flour steady and unchanged; No. 3 yellow, 53½c; No. 2 spring wheat, 55@55½c; No. 3 spring wheat, nominal; No. 2 red, 55½@55¾c; No. 2 corn, 53½c; No. 2 oats, 29½c; No. 2 white, 33½@34½c; No. 3 white, 33@34c; No. 2 rye, 46c; No. 2 barley, 56@57c; No. 3, 52@55c.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 18.

CATTLE—Good to choice shipping and export steers, $4.00@4.50; medium to good shipping steers, $3.00@3.90.

HOGS—Good to choice medium and heavy, $5.50@5.80; mixed and heavy packing, $5.25@5.50; good to choice light weights, $5.40@5.50; common [illegible]

SHEEP—[illegible]

Not Indestructible.

"Your Highness," said the menial, "the man with the bullet-proof shirt is in waiting in the ante room."

"Show him in."

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"Has this garment been subjected to every possible test?" inquired the potentate.

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The inventor fell to the floor in a swoon. "Foiled again," said he as he fell.—Indianapolis Journal.

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Tobacco Her King and In That Lies Hopes of Future Prosperity — Postmaster F. M. Griffin Gives Some Interesting Observations Along That Line.

Nestled among the rugged, but fertile hills of old Carter, two and one-half miles from the Rowan County line, lies Enterprise. It is a narrow straggling village with one principal street, running through its center, its entire length, of nearly one mile. The town was laid out in 1882, and W. H. Griffey built the first house just after a depot was built. Wm. Cooper built a large store house here, the first year of the railroad's life. He also built a mammoth hotel, and for years Mr. Cooper was king bee of Enterprise, and commanded the largest general merchandising trade between Mt. Sterling and Ashland. It is said in those days, that $100 per day was considered an average business, though some days $250 would find its way from the pockets of the people to the coffers of Mr. Cooper. Though the business done then was immense, I have yet to hear any one say they never got value received from Bill Cooper as he was familiarly known. Mr. Cooper is now in business in Morehead. Many that remember him, say that he will never be a millionaire, because of his wonderful generosity. Bill Cooper has given to the poor enough to keep himself and family the balance of his days.

About the year 1886, James Hollan succeeded Mr. Cooper as proprietor of the Star hotel and owner of the large store and business. Mr. Hollan did an immense business for several years and built a mammoth saw and flouring mill. The last venture proved disastrous from some cause, and to day the old mill building and the historic Star hotel stands vacated as monuments of the past greatness of our town, or relics of ill spent fortunes. Hollan was sold out by law in about 1890, and left here in a short time for Iowa where he now lives. About the year 1883, the post office was established here and named Jamison in honor of Wm. Jamison, the president of the Jamison Fire Clay mining Co. Wm. Jamison was appointed the first post master. Jamison was succeeded as post master, by James Hollan, who in turn gave away to Mrs. Mary D. McBrayer. F. M. Griffin the present post master was sworn in May 9th 1894. This is the list in full to date of Uncle Sam's public servants.

Adams Express company established an office here early in the history of the town, which has had the following agents, viz.: B. S. McComas, Wm. Cooper, C. S. Conner, W. H. Tyree, M. B. Mark, M. E. Callihan, W. A. Weaver, W. J. Vaughan, W. F. Watkins, J. L. Robins and O. L. Shay. This list is complete save some of them served two or more different times.

The C. & O. Railroad company has had the following agents; viz.: Wm. Jamison, C. S. Connor, J. E. Cowgill, A. O. Fields, W. A. Weaver, W. J. Vaughan, W. F. Watkins, J. L. Robins, W. G. Patton, W. H. Tyree, R. L. Scott, C. H. Crooks, M. E. Callihan, F. J. Guin, A. E. Ford, O. L. Shay.

Will not vouch for the completeness of this list though it is no doubt nearly so.

Fire clay has been an important article of commerce ever since 1883, though thousands of cars of staves, cross ties, shingles, tan bark, lumber and hoop poles have been shipped to the world's markets. At present little else but fire clay is shipped, the Shay Bros. being the principal dealers in the article.

The past of Enterprise is said to be like a dream to many that remember the good old flush times of the 80's.

The present and future Enterprise is what interests us most. We want to see the town blossom as a rose, and expect to see a partial return of her former greatness in the future. But the future outcome of our town lies not in the stave, tan bark, or lumber tree. Tobacco will most certainly be king, and why should'nt it be? Our lands are the best in the world to produce the weed, and it can be purchased very cheap. In 1894, there will be ten thousand pounds raised, where five years ago there was'nt one pound. In less that ten years from now every foot of tillable land in this end of the county will be cleared up, and the future will eclipse the past as far as the good old times excelled the day when it was fifteen miles to the nearest postoffice.

Enterprise of today is composed of about 100 citizens, all told, men, women and children. There are two general stores, owned and operated by Conley & Son, and L. D. O'Roark.

The firm of Conley & Son does an immense business. They sell hundreds of dollars' worth of hats, caps, boots, shoes, dry goods, groceries, etc. In fact you can buy any thing from them from a thimble to a farm wagon. They have a large trade in Elliott and Lewis counties, a great many coming 20 and 25 miles just to trade with Conleys on account of the merits of their goods and their low prices. The senior member is Isaac Conley. Mr. Conley is about 47 years of age and began life a common day laborer. By thrift he has succeeded in accumulating quite a fortune. Uncle Ike is as honest as the day is long, and everybody likes him. He is a Free Mason and a Golden Eagle, being a charter member of No. 21, of this place. Stanton Conley, the son of the firm is 25 and one of the most shrewd business men in eastern Kentucky. He is not married, but it's lightly hinted that this can not be said of him ere the dawn of 1895. He is a prominent I. O. O. F. and K. G. E. man, well thought of and destined to make his mark in the world of finance.

L. D. O'Roark is a firm within himself, and at present is operating the original Wm. Cooper stand. He does not carry a very large stock of merchandise, but keeps a variety equal to any other store in the country. Lan is a hustling, bustling kind of a man, about 37 year of age, and is a man of good business qualities. In short a scholar and a gentleman. Republican in politics and in religion an ardent Methodist of the Episcopal persuasion.

The postoffice is kept by F. M. Griffin, who is the first Democrat to ever get the office in the history of the town. In the first year of his administration, he had the name of the office changed from Jamison to Enterprise, and on April 1, 1894, the office was made a money order one. Mr. Griffin is a native Kentuckian, born and raised in Greenup county and is 35 years of age. He was instrumental in founding Enterprise Castle, No. 21, Knights of the Golden Eagle, and a few days ago was elected Representative of the Grand Castle that convenes in Grayson in August. He is a warm advocate of Eagleism and as district Grand Chief is working hard to establish other castles throughout the state.

O. L. Shay is the railroad and Adams express agent. He is also a deputy county clerk, and is as full of business "as a dog is of fleas." Everybody likes Lan, on occount of his jovial and genial desposition. Free hearted Lan would give his last dollar to one in need, and it is not necessary to ask him for it either. He is a Republican, a Methodist and a Golden Eagle.

The health of our community is looked after by two physicians. Dr. W. D. Williams came here a few years ago from Harrison county, and has built up a wonderful practice. The doctor is a polished and accomplished gentleman, and universally popular. In politics he is a Democrat, and is considered a party leader. He stands high in I. O. O. F. and K. G. E. circles.

Dr. G. R. Logan came here in the earlier days of the town's history. He has a large and reliable practice, and is one of the best dentists in the state. He is a native of Nicholas county, and is said to be a distant relative of Gen. John A. Logan, of war fame.

Enterprise is strictly prohibition, which scores one point in her favor.

The only place of public entertainment is kept by Mrs. J. C. Shay. Her table is supplied by the best the land affords, and the jolly drummer is always glad when he strikes Enterprise; because he knows the inner man will be well cared for.

The Knigths of Golden Eagle have a nest here. It is called Enterprise Castle, No. 21, and is officered as follows: W. H. Livingston, P. C.; David Tipton, N. C.; J. R. Wheeler, V. C.; Stephen Hooper, H. P.; W. S. Foster, V. H.; S. Y. Shay, S. H.; O. L. Shay, M. of R.; Lennie Evans, C. of E.; Stanton Conley, K. of E.; G. F. Vest, Ensign; W. B. Williams, Esq.; J. S. O. Roark, W. B.; A. M. Shay, W. C.; J. D. Mize, 1st G.; J. M. Lemaster, 2nd G.

Among the leading citizens and pioneer farmers are W. H. Griffey and A. Underwood. They have lived here for years and considered honest, upright and straight-forward men. Large families are their descendents, and the future of Enterprise and vicinity will no doubt be proud of the posterity of these pioneers.

Our town also boats of one "drummer and his grip." W. L. Hudgins, "the invincible," has married and settled here. He believes in the future greatness of his adopted home, and has purchased two houses and lots. He is salesman for Mark & Stix, the great wholesale boot and shoes house of Cincinnati.

We have no lawyer, but have considerable lawing. Squire F. M. Bailey's court is in session once a month to settle all differences between man and man.

We boast of good school privileges, and though our school house is not a good one by any means, I think our citizens are awakening to the necessities of a good house, and I think they will build one in the near future. Since the writer has been here such able teachers as J. Milton Fraley, Miss Minta McGlone, and C. S. Gilkerson have taught the young ideas how to shoot.

Preachers, yes we have one local peacher, Rev. Joe N. Fitch. Mr. Fitch is a Methodist Episcopal, though we often have sermons from the various other denominations.

This about completes the past and present of Enterprise. I hope ere another decade to see at least 1,000 people here, and must say I have great faith in her futue greatness. Long may the onward and upward banner move.

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SECOND PRESBYTERIAN.

There will be no preaching tomorrow morning at the Second Presbyterian church, owing to the absence of the pastor from the city. The Christian Endeavor will conduct the vesper service at 6:45 p. m., to which all are cordially invited. Sunday school at 9 a. m., corner Eighth and North Waller. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. on Twelfth street, near Bode's stone mill. All welcome.

CHRISTIAN.

Corner of Third and Gay streets, W. A. Harp pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., superintended by the pastor. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; subject, "How to Bring Others to Christ." Regular services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Sources of Power to the Church." Evening subject, "Two Women, or the Law and the Gospel." A cordial invitation to all.

CHRIST.

Corner Third and Bond streets, Rev. Alfred R. Taylor, rector. Services on Sunday as follows: Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11 a. m.; evening prayer at 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Holy Name." All are cordially invited.

FINDLAY STREET M. E.

Services for August 19th: Sunday school at 9 a. m., superintended by Mamie Sproull; preaching at 10:30 a. m. Rev. Steen is gone and the pulpit will be filled by another minister, one that a great many of the Portsmouth people are acquainted with, and is loved by all that know him. Come out and let us hear him. Come out at 2:30 p. m. for class meeting. Come out Sunday evening at 7:30 and hear him preach his evening sermon.

BIGELOW M. E.

R. L. McElroy, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m., Capt. Ewing, superintendent. Pastor's morning sermon will be "Our Overlooked Beatitudes." Junior League at 4 o'clock. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m., Coren L. Boynton leader; topic, "The Good Samaritan." Subject of evening sermon, "At the Mercy of the Wives." All seats free and a cordial invitation extended to all.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Southwest corner of Third and Court streets, Rev. D. S. Tappan, D. D., pastor, Dr. C. P. Dennis, S. S. superintendent. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject of morning sermon: "A Remarkable Day;" evening: "The Savior's Gentleness. Sabbath school and pastor's Bible class at 9 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. A cordial welcome to everybody.

MANLY M. E.

James F. Steele, pastor. Residence on Campbell avenue, between Sixth and Seventh streets. Sunday school at 9 a. m., Joseph E. Davies, superintendent; preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior League at 2 p. m. Subject: "Missions;" leader, Charles Fullen; general class at 3:30, led by the pastor.

SALVATION ARMY.

Sunday meetings: 11 a. m. holiness meeting. Subject "Dying Love;" 3 p. m. praise meeting; 8 p. m. Captain Crow will preach his farewell sermon (Lopia, good bye). You are cordially invited to attend.

WM. CROW,
Captain.

SOME REMINISCENCES.

The New York Mail and Express on the Death of David Hahn.

The New York Mail and Express has the following relative to David Hahn, who died in this city last week at the advanced age of 83 years:

The death of David Hahn, who drove stage coaches across the Alleghanies before railroads were built, points the comparatively recent introduction of railroads as a means of transportation. This same David Hahn, who had in his time as passengers, Gen. Jackson, Henry Clay and Presidents Harrison and Tyler, drove his stages fully twenty years before railroads were ever thought of in the Alleghanies. Stephenson did not get his locomotives upon a regular railway line in England before 1825, and railways were not in practical use in the United States before 1837. There must be many of the old stage driver's former passengers living who could tell the wonderful tale of the crossing of the first train of cars drawn by a a locomotive over the steep Alleghanies.

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

International Lesson for August 19, 1894—First Disciples of Jesus—John 1:35-49.

[Specially Arranged from Peloubet's Notes.]

GOLDEN TEXT.—We have found the Messias, which is, being interpreted, the Christ.—John 1:41.

PLACE IN THE HISTORY.—1. Birth. 2. Youth. 3. Preparations. 4. The first year.

THE YEAR OF BEGINNINGS.—1. The first disciples, February. 2. The first miracle, February or March. 3. The first reform, cleansing the temple, April. 4. The first discourse. To Nicodemus, April. 5. The first tour. Through Judea, Summer and autumn. 6. The first converts in Samaria, December. 7. The first work of the Galilean ministry, December. Chiefly in Judea. Recorded only in John. Belongs between verses 11 and 12 of Matthew 4.

TIME.—February, A. D. 27. On the return of Jesus to Bethabara after the temptation. Probably, according to Ederscheim, on Saturday, the Jewish Sabbath.

PLACE.—Bethabara, beyond, i. e., east of, Jordan, or Bethany, as in R. V. (not the Bethany on the Mount of Olives). Both names have nearly the same meaning, Bethany sometimes signifying "boathouse," and Bethabara "ford house," or "ferry house." Probably these were the names of two villages or districts near together. John may have been baptizing in a place between the two villages, and hence sometimes called by one name, and sometimes by the other. Those villages were doubtless at a ford of the Jordan nearly opposite Jericho, where one of the great roads crosses the river, or at a ford of a stream that enters the Jordan near the same place.

RULERS.—Tiberius Cæsar, emperor of Rome, 15th year from his association with Augustus (Luke 3: 1), but 18th as sole emperor. Pontius Pilate, governor of Judea (second year). Herod Antipas, tetrarch of Galilee (31st year.)

JESUS.—Thirty years old, just entering upon His ministry.

JOHN THE BAPTIST.—Thirty and one-half years old, having preached six or eight months in the wilderness.

LESSON NOTES.

The Deputation from Jerusalem—Vs. 19-28. February, A. D. 27, about the close of the forty days of temptation, the religious authorities at Jerusalem hearing of the wonderful effects of John's preaching, sent to inquire who he was, whether he claimed to be the Messiah, or the expected prophet. John testified to Jesus, who was then standing unknown among the crowds.

John the Baptist Points Out Jesus as the Lamb of God.—Vs. 29-31. The next day after the deputation, some Friday in February, according to Ederscheim, John seeing Jesus among his hearers, recognized Him, and pointed Him out as "the Lamb of God which taketh away the sin of the world;" and as the one who should baptize with the Holy Ghost. Then he declares how this was made known to him. John saw in Jesus the fulfillment of Isaiah's prophecy, in his fifty-third chapter, of one who should be led as a lamb to the slaughter; the one prefigured by the passover lamb, and the lamb of the daily sacrifice. He "taketh away the sin of the world." (1) by making the sacrifice through which pardon can be freely offered to all; and (2) by the love of God manifested in Him, which touches and inspires the heart to goodness; and (3) by the gift of the Holy Spirit, by whom the heart is renewed, thus taking away sin.

The First Disciples of Jesus.—Vs. 35-39. Saturday, the Jewish Sabbath. At Bethabara. 35. "The next day:" after the previous testimony of John the Baptist to Jesus. "Two of His disciples:" One was Andrew (v. 40). The other was probably the apostle John himself. He recollects the event very plainly, even to the day and hour, even after sixty years when he wrote this Gospel. "His whole life," says Dods, "seems to date from that hour." It was his spiritual birthday.

37. "The two disciples heard him speak." What John had said was really his implied permission for his disciples to leave him and become followers of the Master. They might otherwise have hesitated, as if to do so were to dishonor John.

Note the self-renunciation of John, willing to yield up his apparent success for the honor of his Master and the salvation of men. But his very success was in his apparent defeat. His work was to prepare men for the Saviour, and lead them to Him, and the more successful he was, the sooner his disciples would leave him and follow Jesus. A good teacher is always preparing scholars to graduate. His success is in having his scholars leave him for the life for which he has been preparing them. "And they followed Jesus:" Literally, followed Him in His walk. But it was the beginning of a spiritual following. This day was really their conversion, the beginning of their Christian life. "(1) Promptly; (2) inquiringly; (3) finally, perseveringly; (4) exemplarily."—Whitelaw.

38. "Then Jesus turned:" He met them half way in their search. He did not wait for them to come up to Him, but stopped and waited for them to come, showing them that He wanted to see them. So the Lord always welcomes and waits for those who seek Him. He is "the same Jesus" now as then. "And saith unto them, What seek ye:" i. e., in Me. He does not ask: "Whom seek ye?" It was evident that they sought Him.—Cam. Bible. "They said unto Him, Rabbi . . . Master:" Rabbi is Hebrew, and John interprets into Greek the common language of most of his readers at that time. Rabbi strictly meant my master, or lord, but in the time of Jesus it had already come to be the common honorable title of the teachers of the law among the Jews. "Where dwellest Thou?" By this response they recognize Him as a teacher, and intimate their desire to speak with Him at some convenient time in private.

PRACTICAL SUGGESTIONS.

Note the simple, natural, quiet way in which these first disciples were led to Christ.

We see the value of personal, individual work and influence.

"What seek ye?" is the question that determines the life. Are we seeking God, goodness, usefulness, the Heavenly life—or are we seeking self—pleasure, wealth, honor?

Peter was worth ten Andrews, but was led to Christ by Andrew. We may have small talent ourselves, but we may be the means of drawing better and greater men to Jesus.

Now, how quietly, silently, unostentatiously the kingdom of God comes, not so much by new instrumentalities, as by new power in the old.

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Fine Kid Shoes, in Button	Worth 2 00	Our price 1 09
Fine Kid Shoes, in Button	Worth 2 25	Our price 1 19
Fine Kid Shoes, in Button	Worth 2 50	Our price 1 29
Fine Kid Shoes, in Button	Worth 2 75	Our price 1 39
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PERSONAL.

W. L. Russell went to Lancaster, O. this morning.

Mrs. Henry Wishon and child went to Cedarville, O., this morning.

John Heer and M. Leinman "did" the Harrisonville fair yesterday.

J. F. Davis, the Front street druggist, went to Buffalo last evening

Miss Kate Schuler, of West Second street, is quite ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCloud went to Augusta this morning to visit relatives.

Miss Maggie Conroy left this morning, for a visit with Washingtod C. H. friends.

Mrs. A. Roche left last evening via the N. & W. for a visit with Rochester, N. Y. friends.

Harry Hacquard, of Wheelersburg went to Jerseyville, Ill., this morning via the N. & W. to visit.

Mrs. Wm. Bolles and children and Miss Amy Thompson went to Camp McColloch last evening.

E. F. Gray, of Cincinnati, general freight and passenger agent of the C. P. & V., is in the city today.

B. H. Aikin, district passenger agent of the C. A. & C., is in the city today billing excursions of that popular road.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Kehoe went to Moscow, Ky., near Cincinnati, this morning, to visit a few days with relatives.

Miss Maude Orcutt, of Charleston, W. Va., is the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Givens, of Elm Tree.

Mrs. J. B. Collier and daughter Miss Maud, of Richwood, Union county, are the guests of Mr. Howe Collier of the TIMES office.

Kinney Hall returned last evening from a trip to Niagara Falls, Toronto, and other points. His brother who accompanied him there will visit the Thousand Islands before returning.

B. L. McElroy, of Mt. Vernon, state oil inspector, arrived here this morning on private business. An informal reception was held in Probate Judge Osborn's office, the county officials and other prominent Republicans assembling there.

HE'S LEARNING.

A Covington, Ky., Druggist Introducing His Medicine in Portsmouth.

Druggist Alexander, of Covington, Ky., thinks the laws regulating charity and philanthropy in Ohio are pretty rigid. He arrived here yesterday noon and called on Mayor Hall, informing him that he was going to introduce a medicine in this city, "just walk around to a few houses," he said. "It will coust you $2.25 for the first day and $1 for each additional day," was the mayor's reply. The "druggist" tried to strike a compromise on half days and the like, but, failing in all such attempts, finally planked down the $2.25, and said he would hustle all afternoon and night but what he got that $2.25 back. This morning he had the license extended, and informs the TIMES that his great and only rheumatism cure is taking like hot cakes.

GLAD HE IS SMALL.

Wes Schwartz Says He Would Have Been Killed Had He Been a Fat Man.

Wes Schwartz, the brakeman, injured in the C. P. & V. wreck near Peebles Thursday will be confined to the house for several days. He has a big gash on his head and is badly bruised up in addition. Just now he is congratulating himself on his lucky escape, and says that had he been a fleshy man he would have been mashed sure, as the ditch which saved him was a very small one.

A MARKET DISPLAY.

An Old Man's Market Basket Gets Under a Street Car.

An old gentleman evidently very deaf had a lively experience on Chillicothe street this morning. He had been marketing and had started across Chillicothe street with a well filled basket. A street car had just started north and was running slowly. It struck the man and he jumped to one side, but his basket and bucket went under the car, scattering market delicacies along the track for quite a distance.

Entertained at Cards.

Mrs. Floyd L. Smith entertained a small company very pleasantly at cards last evening in honor of her guest, Miss Creel, of Parkersburg. Mrs. John Jones won the lady's prize, a handsome card case, and Ed. Gibbs, the gentleman's prize, a book. Refreshments were served and informal music by Miss Creel and Mrs. W. A. Hutchins, Jr. Those present were Dr. G. M. Marshall, Ed. Gibbs and wife, W. A. Hutchins, Jr., and wife, Henry Hall and wife, John Jones and wife, Miss Fan Newman.

A LITTLE MISTAKE.

Dr. Dennis Has an Experience with a Couple of Germans.

The friends of jolly Dr. C. P. Dennis are indulging in a hearty laugh just now over a recent experience of his.

It seems that a couple of aged German ladies were in search of Feyler's store, to purchase a ticket for some European port. They evidently had heard bad news of some kind, as one of them was crying softly, and was holding a handkerchief to her face. By some mistake the ladies stumbled into Dr. Dennis' office, and that gentleman seeing the lady holding her handkerchief to her face at once supposed that she was suffering from a violent case of toothache. Without saying a word he led her to the operating chair and motioned her to be seated. The lady complied and Dennis next got out his operating instruments, at the same time motioning for the lady to open her mouth. She complied but it was only to scream and yell for help, etc. Before the doctor could explain both women were talking volubly in German, and wound up by darting out of the room, leaving Dennis alone in his glory.

NOT HIS FIRST.

Schaffer the Farmers' Hotel Thief Has Been in Trouble Before—Police Notes.

John Schaffer the individual now under arrest for robbing Landlord Rogers of the Farmers' Hotel of $120 has evidently been in trouble before. Among his effects was a newspaper clipping which would indicate such. The clipping is from a Charleston, W. Va., paper and is an account of the arrest and trial of himself and his son for passing counterfeit money. They were arraigned before the U. S. court at Charleston and given a preliminary hearing. The father was discharged but the son was held.

Marshal Schmitt visited New Boston last night and recovered the pair of shoes sold there by the Portsmouth Turned Shoe company thief. The man sold the shoes, an elegant pair of child's shoes, to Phill Emmert, for fifty cents.

COURT HOUSE ITEMS.

Matters of Record of Interest to Some People.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Sixth Ward, Portsmouth—J. P. Purdum to Henry C. Moon, lots 8 and 9, $363.

Rardin and Horr to Mary T. Bramlin, part of 2 acre tract on Gallia street.

PROBATE RECORD.

Estate of Jacob Blank, sale bill filed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

E. P. Cockrell, Hannah C. Ruth.

Almost a Launch Ride.

A party of twelve boarded the street car at 7 o'clock last evening with countenances brilliantly illuminated with visions of a delightful ride on the Little Kanawha Lumber Co.'s Naptha launch. They alighted at New Boston and started for the launch, but the engineer had been suddenly called from the city, and there is no one else in the vicinity who can manage the craft. They enjoyed a half hour's soliloquy on the uncertainties of life in general, and launch rides in particular, and finally consoled themselves with an ordinary outing on the hills and revenged their disappointment on Revare's ten pin outfit. The party consisted of Harry Ball and wife, Misses Anna Evans, Anna Ball, Alice Altsman, Sonora Dolmer, May Maxwell, and Messrs. Harry Brown, E. H. Lowman, Will Altsman and Dr. J. R and A. P. Pennington.

A Pleasant Party.

Miss Maude Shepard entertained a number of her friends last evening at her home on East Third street. The evening was spent mostly in dancing. The music, mandolin and guitar, was furnished by Les Davison and Will Wompster. At a late hour refreshments were served, after which her many friends went home, all having spent a pleasant time. The following were present: Adah Johnson, Anna Padan, Minta McKerrihan, Mattie Padan, Esther Johnson, Carrie Smith, Kate and Bess Anderson, Virginia Jones, Kline Duke, Flint Kline, Roy Mann, Vente Reis, Will Sellards, Andy Reis, Matt Thompson, Cliff Anderson, Ralph Calvert and James Bates.

The Course of Study.

The board of education course of study committee met yesterday at the superintendent's office with Supt. Vickers to formulate a report to be submitted to the board next Friday night. About the only important change will be the putting of a complete English course in the High school for the benefit of those pupils who may desire to become teachers. This will be in charge of Supt. Vickers.

FRAGMENTS.

Turtle soup at J. A. Schreik's, 235 West Second street, tonight. Call and sample it.

The Harsha & Caskey flour mill is now running full force, night and day.

The First German Presbyterian church will give a picnic at J. Berndt's place, on Kinney's lane, Labor Day. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. George E. Kricker has been quite ill the past few days, but is now improving.

A couple of cab horses amused themselves by falling over each other at the corner of Second and Gay streets last evening. One of them was cut up considerably.

WAR ON ELEVENTH STREET.

Bob Hunster and Wife Have a Scrap and Bob Chops Up the Furniture.

Bob Hunster, a gentleman of color residing on Eleventh street, was on the war path yesterday on account of alleged misconduct on the part of Mrs. Bob. The latter was at a neighbor's residence having a high time with a select crowd, when Bob appeared on the scene and hauled his wife away, thumping her on the way home to relieve his overwrought feelings. Upon arriving at his domicile Bob proceeded to the woodshed and got an axe, and then amused himself by chopping the furniture in the room to pieces. It is said that a well known city official is mixed up in the affair.

Harrisonville Picnic.

Quite a large number of people from the city and vicinity were in attendance at the Harrisonville picnic yesterday. It is estimated that in all 3,000 people were present. The crowd was addressed by Col. Hilliard, past state commander of the S. of V., Wm. E. Ross of this city, and Oscar Coburn of near Harrisonville. A dancing platform and a couple of merry-go-rounds also proved paying investments and attracted large crowds of the country cousins. The candidates were on hands too, circulating about.

Seriously Ill.

The many friends of Thomas Kelley, the storekeeper and postmaster at Arion, will regret to learn that he is seriously ill with consumption, his death being only a question of a short time. The family has been peculiarly unfortunate, several of them having died within the past few years of quick consumption.

Ball Game Today

The Manhattan base ball club will play ball this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the grounds in the rear of the Offnere street school building, the opposing nine being from the Drew Selby & Co., shoe factory. The Manhattans will try to redeem themselves and make up for the defeat they sustaned at the hands of the Ironton's.

Fine Turtle Soup.

A genuine dish of turtle soup will be given to all the patrons of the White Bear Hotel bar, corner Second and Madison streets, this evening, free of all charges, by Tony Shrieck. Come early and avoid the rush.

Entries for the Race Meet.

C. C. Van Tine, of Findlay, a fast class A. man, has entered for the races here August 31st. John Fogle, a Columbus (O.) wheelman, has also entered. Van Nichols has not yet been heard from.

The Carey Run Picnic.

The picnic and dance yesterday afternoon at Carey's run was quite a success, over 200 people being present. Dancing was the principal amusement, being kept up all day and the greater part of the night.

Best Excursion of the Season.

The B. & O. S. W. Railway will run an excursion on Monday, August 20th, to Blennerhassett Island and Parkersburg, W. Va. Upon arrival at the island a game of base ball between the Polos of Portsmouth and the Jacksons of Jackson, O., will be played. Train leaves Portsmouth at 7 a. m. Returning, leaves Parkersburg at 7 p. m., central standard time. Fare for round trip, $1.50.

Kenneth Bazemore had the good fortune to receive a small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy when three members of his family were sick with dysentery. This one small bottle cured them all and he had some left which he gave to Geo. W. Baker, a prominent merchant of the place, Lewiston, N. C., and it cured him of the same complaint. When troubled with dysentery, diarrhoea, colic or cholera morbus, give this remedy a trial and you will be more than pleased with the result. The praise that naturally follows its introduction and use has made it popular. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

LODGE NOTES.

A Few Items of Interest to Members of Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.

Last Tuesday the third degree was conferred, in the presence of a very large attendance of members and friends. A banquet followed the business meeting.

The team drilled last evening and will present the initiatory degree next Tuesday evening.

JR. O. U. A. M.

All members who intend to going to Wakefield will bear in mind that we go on train 33, due here at 10:28, standard time. Regalias can be procured at place of meeting, No. 97 East Twelfth street. All members will report not later than 10:15. city time, as we take train at C., P. & V. depot.

CHAS. D. BICKEL, Councilor.

Official:

OBITUARY.

MRS. KATHARINE HERDER.

Mrs. Katharine Herder died at her residence, on West Second street, this morning, of old age, complicated with heart trouble. She was 71 years of age, and was a native of Germany, her maiden name being Hellman. She came to this country and to Portsmouth 43 years ago, her husband dying the year after their arrival here. She leaves one daughter, now Mrs. Elizabeth Young, and a brother, George A. Hellman.

The funeral will be held at the house tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Most Delightful Outing of the Season.

The last personally conducted tour of the season over the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway leaves Cincinnati, September 10th, for Hot Springs, Va., Natural Bridge, Luray Caverns, Richmond, Va., and Old Point Comfort. Party limited to twenty-five persons. Send for descriptive pamphlet giving detals and itinerary. C. B. RYAN, Asst. Gen'l Pass. Agent, C. & O. Ry., Cincinnati, O. sept10

No Fun In It.

Frank Lynn, bookeeper at Lynn's livery stable says there is no fun in working about a stable, and cites in proof of his statement the fact that he shows up in the morning at 4:15 o'clock and remains until 10 and 11 o'clock at night. Still he seems to grow fat on long hours.

Grand Reunion Army of West Virginia.

The reunion at Ironton, O., on August 29th, 30th and 31st promises to be one of the most interesting ever held. The C. & O. railway will make a rate of one fare for the round trip and an immense turnout is expected. tf

An Eccentric Rod Broken.

Engine 527, of the N. & W., in charge of Engineer Simington, and hauling passenger train No. 32, broke an eccentric rod near Big Run yesterday, delaying the train some minutes.

Mid-Summer Revival.

The special services at Manley M. E. church are growing in interest. There was quite a large congregation out last night. The meetings will be continued every night next week.

A Fishing Jaunt.

Engineer Brooks and fireman Tom Patterson, of the C. P. & V. went out to Rushtown this morning on a little fishing jaunt, said to be going after whales.

A Building Permit.

W. C. Morford has taken out a building permit for a two-story frame house on the north side of Eleventh street, between Offnere and Lincoln streets.

Jumped a Picket Fence.

A horse belonging to Councilman Wm. E. Ross injured itself on Eleventh street yesterday, jumping a picket fence and it may be necessary to kill it.

Hit a Cow.

The motor car Pauline hit a cow, near the old fair grounds this morning, knocking it off the track. The cow was not hurt much.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. "I have sold the remedy in this city for over seven years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints." 25 and 50 cent bottles of this remedy for sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

Read the announcement of the University of Wooster on page 2. It may interest you.

The TIMES leads them all.

FROM GOSHEN.

A Portsmouth Tourist Writes an Interesting Letter.

Colonel W. C. P. Breckenridge and Wife Guests at the Hotel There—More About Colonel H. C. Parsons and His Murder—Thermometer 65 Degrees.

[Special Correspondence.]

GOSHEN, VA., Aug. 17, 1894.

Kentucky's famous lion, W. C. P. Breckenridge, came here last night and is stopping here. His pictures do not correctly represent him. He is much more corpulent than pictured and his face is rounder and fuller. May be he has gotten fat on newspaper abuse. His wife accompanies him. She does not look over 35 and has reddish brown hair, and is a very plain looking woman. We have only seen them at meal time.

The general feature of interest here is the Goodwin trial for the murder of Colonel Parsons. At the Gladys hotel, Clifton Forge, where the murder occurred, the whole thing was pointed out to me. It was a brutal and cowardly murder. There were no extenuating circumstances and there was no element of self defense in it. This is the view taken of it at Clifton Forge and reflected in the Clifton Forge and Stanton papers. The general sentiment is that the crime committed was murder, but the general opinion is that the jury will acquit or return a verdict of manslaughter. If the verdict is other than murder in the first degree there will be a miscarriage of justice.

Colonel Parsons was well known along the line of the C. P. & V. railroad because of his presidency of the O. & N. W. railroad. While the latter enterprise collapsed it fell into good hands, and has been a benefit to our city. Colonel Parsons built the Richmond and Alleghany railroad, and bought and managed the Natural Bridge property, where he had invested large sums of money. His efforts in this part of Virginia were a benefit to the state, but he was not liked because of his being a Republican and taking an active interest in politics on that side.

Just previous to his death he had been examined for $100,000 life insurance in the Mutual Life, of New York. His first payment of annual premium would have been $5,000 and upwards. The policy had been issued and was ready for delivery to him, but he had not received it or paid the first premium, hence the insurance never took effect. He had no other insurance on his life.

Goodman's evidence as to the facts connected with the killing is undoubtedly perjury to save his neck. He shot four times into Colonel Parsons' body as rapidly as he could fire, the last entering his head. Colonel Parsons fell forward on his face and was permitted to lie there just as he fell, without any one touching him or seeking to relieve him.

Either the the people about were paralyzed by what had been done or had no sympathy with the colonel. I believe the former was the case.

This is a delightful place to stop and rest. The hotel is new and modern in all its appointments, the views are charming and the temperature not too high. This morning it is 65 degrees.

Mr. Will Kinney was here last Sunday. Came on a flying trip to see his old friends.

Why He Was Helpless.

"Yes, he fell over backward, and sank like a stone."

"But I thought he was an expert swimmer."

"He was; but my wife brought some of her biscuits for lunch, and he—"

"Oh!"—Brooklyn Life.

Inconsistent.

Editor—Here, this won't do: "He felt her hot breath upon his cheek."

Young Author—What's the matter with it?

Editor—Why, your heroine is a Boston girl, isn't she?—N. Y. World.

Appropriate.

Nodd—What have you named your twins?

Todd—Off and On.

Nodd—What's that for?

Todd—When one stops crying the other begins.—N. Y. Herald.

Rather Frigid.

Maude—O! he wrote me a lovely poem. It began:

"When you would know why men go mad,
Go gaze into your mirror—"

Bertha—What bosh! You're not so ugly as all that.—Pearson's Weekly.

Sensible.

First Small Boy—I wish I had that five cents back that I spent for candy.

Second Small Boy—What would you do with it?

First Small Boy—Buy more candy.—Truth.

Too Evident.

Corinne—What makes you think the count is a mere fraud, papa?

Papa—He said he would marry you without a dot for love alone. He's no count; he's an impostor.—N. Y. World.

Careful About Some Things.

"Don't let that vase fall, Flora, when you are putting the roses into it."

"Certainly not, mother. I never broke anything in my life but an engagement"—Boston Gazette.

A Lesson.

Elsie—A fortune-teller has predicted that Lucy will be married.

Ethel—That ought to be enough to cure her superstition.—Puck.

EXCHANGE NOTES.

The Mercer county game warden has ordered all caged birds liberated

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There is talk of a Populist—Labor Democratic fusion ticket this fall in Jackson county.

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A West Union gentleman named "Bees" Cross recently accompanied a lady friend to Lewis county Ky., on a visit. While there "Bees" told a Cincinnati Post correspondent that they were going to be married and was very much surprised next day to see a half column in the Post about his "elopement." "Bees" will be careful about talking to a newspaper man in the future.

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Editor Jones, of the Waverly Watchman gets after John B. Violet, Populist candidate for county commissioner thusly:

We see that John Brough Violet, one of Pike county's war horses of Democracy, has been nominated for the office of county commissioner by the Populist party of Scioto county. Brough used to be one of the hardest headed, uncompromising, stinking, contrary Democrats that this county ever contained, but it seems that since he has become a resident of Scioto county he has lost his religion and his Democracy, and wandered off after strange gods. We would have never believed that Brough at this late stage in life would have departed from his early teachings and gone off and joined Wes. Given's hobo party, but there is no telling what some men will do when they get away from under the influence of good and true Democratic associations. We know that there is not much in Scioto county to encourage a man to be a Democrat, but we would have supposed that Brough did have more respect for the feelings of his old Democratic associates in this county than to go back on them as he has done.

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The Big Sixteen band, of Jackson, borrowed four trombones of the Wellston band to help them make noise down here, and now the Wellston boys are kicking on account of the condition in which the horns were returned.

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Chillicothe has 3,710 school children.

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The Republican Richwood Gazette, of Union county, savagely attacked the county commissioners, accusing them of crookedness, corruption, looting the treasury, raising orders, etc. Thank the Lord, Scioto county commissioners are not that kind.

Grand Excursion to Washington City During the K. of P. Encampment.

Those who visit Washington city during the K. of P. encampment, August 22d to 26th, inclusive, should by all means travel over the the C. & O. railway. Its train service is superior to that of any other line, while there is no one to dispute the fact that the trip through the Virginias, both for scenic beauty and historic interest is unequaled in the world.

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Notice of Dissolution.

THE partnership heretofore maintained between Peter M. Reeg and Charles E. Hancock in operating the "River City Steam Laundry," at No. 211 Chillicothe street, Portsmouth, Ohio, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, to go into effect Monday, August 20, 1894. The business will be continued at the old stand by Peter M. Reeg, who assumes the payment of all claims against said firm and is alone authorized to collect its dues.

CHARLES E. HANCOCK.
PETER M. REEG.

Portsmouth, O., Aug. 17, 1894. 18 3t

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Advertisements under the head of "Wanted," "For Sale," "For Rent," etc., not to exceed three lines, will be published three times free.

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WANTED—Boarders at 510 Court street.

WANTED—One-horse wagon. Apply at Jas. H. Sutton's, 404 East Eighth st., East End. 15

LOST—A lady's corset. The finder will be rewarded by returning to Mrs. T. M. Patterson, 230 East Ninth st. 14

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Closing Out Sale!

Remember we are selling our goods at manufactory prices. There are only a few dinner and chamber sets, parlor lamps and hanging lamps left; come early and get your choice.

Also we have a big line of ornaments, vases, fancy cups and saucers and bisque figures.

Everything in our store must go before we move.

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